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PATENT
CASE NO. 9743/6

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application:)
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Ludwig Angerpointner)
) Group Art Unit: 2834
Serial No.: 10/788,544)
) Examiner: Pham, Leda T.
Filed: February 27, 2004)
) Confirmation No. 7092
For: SLIP RING UNIT WITH A)
PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD)
PATENT)

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 22, 2005. The proposed Amendment is necessary and was not earlier presented because it updates the claim for priority made in the first paragraph of the application. Since the present Amendment regards a matter of form, it is not believed that an additional search will be required. Furthermore, no new

issues should be raised by the Amendment. Accordingly, Applicant requests that the present Amendment be entered.